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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
NOBUAKI OGUSHI, et al.) Examiner: Chad Rapp
Application No.: 09/988,573) Group Art Unit: 2125
Filed: November 20, 2001)
For: REMOTE MAINTENANCE)
SYSTEM) October 8, 2004

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM
ISSUE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2) -ISSUE FEE PAID

Sir:

The issue fee for the above-identified application was paid on September 2, 2004.

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2) to withdraw this application from issue, so as to permit consideration of a Request for Continued Examination.

The Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is submitted concurrently herewith, together with an Information Disclosure Statement.

The petition fee of \$130.00, set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h), together with the RCE fee of \$790.00, should be charged to Deposit Account 06-1205. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee in connection with the present Petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael K. O'Neill", is written over a horizontal line.

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